

STATE OF NEVADA
LOCAL GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE-MANAGEMENT
RELATIONS BOARD

NYE COUNTY SUPPORT STAFF
ORGANIZATION,

Complainant,

vs.

NYE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT,

Respondent.

ITEM NO. 559A

CASE NO. A1-045754

ORDER

For Complainant: Francis C. Flaherty, Esq.
Dyer, Lawrence, Penrose, Flaherty & Donalson

For Respondent: Paul J. Anderson, Esq.
Walther, Key, Maupin, Oats, Cox & LeGoy

Briefly, on January 15, 2003, the Nye County Support Staff Organization (hereafter "Organization") filed a complaint with the Local Government Employee-Management Relations Board (hereafter "Board") alleging that the Nye County School District (hereafter "School District") unilaterally changed working conditions pertaining to school bus drivers and routes, affecting such employees' wages and insurance eligibility.

The School District filed its answer on February 7, 2003. On March 3, 2004, the Organization filed its prehearing statement and on March 14, 2003, the School District filed its prehearing statement.

On August 26, 2003, the Board held a hearing in this matter, noticed in accordance with Nevada's Open Meeting Law, and on December 9, 2003, the Board entered its decision. That decision is now the subject of a judicial review.

On January 5, 2004, the Organization filed with this Board its "Accounting of Attorneys' Fees and Costs." On January 9, 2004, the School District then filed its Motion for Stay of Administrative Decision. The Organization filed its Opposition to the Motion, and the School District filed its Reply.

1 The Board held a hearing on February 17, 2004 on the afore-mentioned Motion, noticed
2 in accordance with Nevada's Open Meeting Law, and based thereon:

3 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Motion for Stay is denied inasmuch as the decision
4 has been appealed to the District Court for review, depriving this Board of jurisdiction as to that
5 decision. However, pursuant to Lee v. GNLV Corp., 116 Nev. 424, 996 P.2d 416 (2000), this
6 Board retains jurisdiction as to fees and costs. Therefore, the School District shall file an
7 opposition to the "Accounting" of fees and costs, if it so desires, within ten (10) days from the
8 date of this order and this "Accounting" will be scheduled for deliberations thereafter.

9 DATED this 17th day of February, 2004.

10 LOCAL GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE-
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JANET TROST, ESQ., Chairman

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